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1. I HAVE JUST RECEIVED A LETTER DATED JUNE 1 FROM THE DIRECTOR OF TIVOLI, NIELS JORGEN KAISER, REGARDING THE GUEST PERFORMANCE OF THE NEW YORK CITY BALLET IN COPENHAGEN AUGUST 8 TO 13. PERTINENT PORTIONS OF THE TEXT FOLLOW:

BEGIN TEXT:

I THANK YOU SO MUCH FOR YOUR PROMISE OF MARCH 10TH FROM THE DEPARTMENT OF STATE SPONSORING THE ARRANGEMENT WITH DOLS. 5,000. IT MEANS A LOT THAT WE ARE ABLE TO OPEN THE LIST OF SPONSORS LIKE THIS: SPONSORED BY THE AMERICAN AND THE DANISH GOVERNMENT. I THANK YOU SO MUCH FOR YOUR GREAT ACTIVITY IN THIS FIELD OF COLLABORATION.

THE SPONSOR LIST IS NOW FINISHED AND IT CONSISTS OF EXCLUSIVELY THE LEADING DANISH FIRMS AND COMPANIES.

THERE WILL BE PARTIES AFTER EVERY EVENING'S PERFORMANCE GIVEN BY: THE DANISH GOVERNMENT, THE LORD MAYOR OF COPENHAGEN, THE CARLSBERG BREWERIES AND THE TIVOLI GARDENS.
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AS WE HAVE BEEN TALKING ABOUT SINCE THE VERY BEGINNING, I HAVE RESERVED THE PARTY AFTER THE OPENING NIGHT FOR THE US-EMBASSY. I DON'T KNOW WHICH POINT OF VIEW YOUR SUCCESSOR WILL TAKE TO THIS, BUT I STILL KEEP THE OPENING EVENING FREE. AS WE ALREADY DISCUSSED THE AUDIENCE WILL INCLUDE ALL THE LEADING PERSONS OF DANISH TRADE AND FINANCE AS WELL AS MEM-

BERS OF THE ROYAL FAMILY. A PARTY FOR THE BALLET COMPANY (125 PERSONS) PLUS MAYBE REPRESENTATIVES FROM THE GUILD OF NEW YORK CITY BALLET WOULD BE A GOOD OPPORTUNITY TO MEET THE DANISH SPONSORS.

I AM SURE THAT YOUR SUCCESSOR WILL FOLLOW THE GREAT FORM OF COLLABORATION BETWEEN THE UNITED STATES AND DENMARK TO WHICH YOU HAVE CONTRIBUTED GREATLY. END TEXT.

2. I WOULD BE APPRECIATIVE IF MY SUCCESSOR COULD BE CONTACTED TO OBTAIN AN EARLY REPLY TO MR. KAISER'S QUERY. IF THE REPLY IS AFFIRMATIVE, I SUGGEST THAT ALL DETAILS BE WORKED OUT DIRECTLY BETWEEN THE AMBASSADOR-DESIGNATE AND THE EMBASSY CULTURAL AFFAIRS OFFICER, CSABA CHIKES, WHO HAS BEEN HELPFUL IN ESTABLISHING A GOOD RELATIONSHIP WITH TIVOLI AND WAS ALSO INVOLVED IN THE AMERICAN BALLET PERFORMANCE HERE LAST YEAR.

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